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TOPIC Soviet Ammunition Shipped from ROSTOCK to JESSEN and JUETERBOG

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

25X1X Numerous freight trains carrying ammunition were dispatched from ROSTOCK (M 55/O 61) via WITTENBERGE (M 53/Y 69) - MAGDEBURG (M 53/Y 60) - ROSSLAU (M 52/E 17) - WITTENBERG (N 52/E 37) to JESSEN (N 52/E 56) and to JUETERBOG (N 52/E 69) - ALTES LAGER in May and June 1949. The ammunition had been shipped by sea from the Soviet Union to ROSTOCK.

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25X1A Comment:

a. The report, for the first time in about a year, states that ammunition supplies were shipped by sea from the Soviet Union to the port of ROSTOCK-WARNEMÜNDE (the last report on the subject, June 1948, only indicated that ammunition was shipped by sea and unloaded in the port of JISMAR). The report is of special interest as it has long been expected that, in view of the extensive reconditioning and expanding of some Baltic Sea ports of the Soviet Zone of Germany, the Soviets would start shipping supplies by sea.

b. It is considered possible that, as stated in the report, the ammunition was shipped from ROSTOCK to JUETERBOG-ALTES LAGER and JESSEN.

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